DELAYS HEARINGS PARK FAVORS ON RAILROAD BILL

Early Consideration by Committee.

MANY BILLS ARE OFFERED WOULD SAVE STATE MONEY WOULD BE FIRST OF KIND POLITICS IS

NEW CLERKSHIP.

Hearings on the railroad commission bill will be delayed until the return of Representative Critchlow, the author of the bill, from a trip to the east. Mr. Critchlow was called away unexpectedly yesterday and will be absent for a week. Chatevan Rebinson of the committee chairman Robinson of the committee on railroads and common carriers said yesterday that when the railroad commission bill is ready for consideration by the committee he will call the committee together, probably in the house chamber, and that all sides would be given a chance to be heard. The committee periods are the committee to be heard. The committee periods are the agricultural school. "I callister of Millard county. The senator will probably introduce a bill in the near future making the necessary amendments in the present laws of evidence governing such cases conform to his ideas.

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Unique Change in Evidence Needed in Seduction Cases.

HOUSE REPUBLICANS CREATE A WILL TACKLE SUBJECT IF NO REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED MACHINE LEADERS FEAR VOTE

Agricultural College

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'The matter' of appointing a revenue committee to act with that of the house in devising ways and means to increase the state income was taken up again and the house resolution referred to the ways and means committee for amendment, as Senator Benner X. Smith explained that it did not give the committee power 16 subpoena witnesses, compet heir attendance, or administer oaths. When these changes have been made the resolution, will be sent back to the house for petition. It developed in the discussion that the speaker of the house exceeded his authority when he appointed the house delegation on the committee before the senate hill No. B. Rusband. This bill provides that all mines in the state employing over ten men shall have a complete, emergency equipment for accident cases, the equipment agonomittee.

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NEW BILLS IN THE HOUSE.

Several Measures of More or Less Importance Offered.

Another flood of new bills and resolutions enveloped the house yesterday. The speaker when he seed and the matter of expense must be considerably when the new house in the selection of twork for the committees, which as yet have not gotten down to work. This inaction brought about a rebuke from Speaker Joseph yesterday. The speaker when the nought tabout a rebuke from Speaker Joseph yesterday. The speaker was not gotten down to work. This inaction brought about a rebuke from Speaker Joseph yesterday. The speaker of the members, urging the limitation of leaves of absence to matters of absolute of the members, urging the limitation of leaves of absence to matters of absolute importance.

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Representative Kuchler Asks Investigation of Alleged Offenses of Trade Papers.

Mining men and others in this state have been sufferers from wrong quotations in trade papers of mining stocks and made to secure an adequate water supply for the state prison, Senator Callister will introduce a joint resolution in the senate at an early date which will the senate at an early date which will envisit to investigate the matter. This committee will endeavor to settle the committee will endea

and metals. Livestock men have also been victimized by irregular quotations on their stock. Representative Kuchier, by request, yesterday introduced in the house a resolution providing for a special committee to investigate these conditions and report to the house. Mr. Kuchier asked immediate passage of his resolution, but the house was not in the humor and voted down a motion to suspend the rules and place the resolution upon its passage. It was referred to the committee on manufactures and commerce. The resolution is as follows:

H. R. No. I. by Kuchier-Resolved, That a commutee of three be appointed by the speaker to investigate the alleged false publication by trade journals of quotations on different commodities purchased on the open markets, and the alleged use of said quotations in making settlements for such commodities by dealers.

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Legislative Notes.

Abel John Evans of Lehi was a visitor at the state senats yesterday. Mr. Evans served several terms in the state senats yesterday. Mr. Evans served several terms in the state senats yesterday. Mr. Evans authorized a denial of the report that he is interested in a measure to make it easier for minors to purchase cigarettes in Utah. He says he is a plain merchant now and has no interest in matters of legislation except the interest that all good citizens should have.

The Democrats fought valiantly but without avail against the proposition to appoint a mailing clerk for the house of representatives. Heretofore it has been the state senats yesterday. And the state senats yesterday.

OTHER EXPERIMENTS MADE.

Not the First Attempt at Developing

Artesian Water Supply.

Representative John Parry of Iron county is not opposing the Jackson bill, making an appropriation for an investigation of the inderground flow of waters in Utah, for the purpose of developing a supply for domestic purposes in dry farming, but he is of the opinion that the matter should be well considered, in order to avoid the mistakes of a similar investigation made a number of years ago.

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At present the farmers of Cedar Valley and those of Parowan and Paragoonah as well are engaged in efforts to develop dry farming. The former community bought an engine and a gang plow last fell and commenced cultivation of a thirty-acre tract, while the people of the two counties last named have ordered an engine and will begin active work in the spring. In those localities there is a plentiful sapply of surface water for domestic purposes and for this reason the Jackson bill would probably not affect them.

Mr. Jackson, the author of the bill, hopes that the legislature will act favorably upon his measure. With the development of dry farming, Utah, in his opinlon, will be able to raise all the wheat it needs for rome consumption and probably a surplus for export, while the irrigated lands will be left for the raising of fruit and other crops and thus Utah would be made self-sustaining in an agricultural way.

PATENT MEDICINE BILL. day passed the patent medicine bill, by Shaw, with only one dissenting vote, It provides that all patent medicines offered for sale in the state shall have the exact formula printed on the label. Also that those containing certain amounts of poisonous drugs shall be labelled as poison.

GIRL'S EVIDENCE HULL IS QUOTED ASKS ROOSEVELT CONSOLIDATION SHOULD CONVICT TO BE FOR DELAY TO RESCIND ACTION

Absence of Critchlow Prevents Sal: Lake Senator Would Unite Senator Callister Would Make Consolidation of Two Colleges Action Regarding Coal Lands May Be Left for Next Legislature.

INVOLVED

PREPARING MILITARY BILL.

Recommendation.

Senator Park to Follow Governor's

the state militia. The bill provides that the salary of the adjutant general be made \$1.800 a year and that of the assistants \$900. This will allow these officials to devote all their time to their work. Provisions for a rifle range and a \$600 appropriation for the land are also included. Bills reorganizing the first battery and requiring that all officers having in charge government property should give bonds for its safe keeping are also to be introduced. Senator Park is chairman of the committee on military af-

How to Cure Chiblains.

"To enjoy freedom from chilblains, writes John Kemp, East Gtisfield, Me., 'I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve Have also used it for salt rheum with excel without avail against the proposition to appoint a mailing clerk for the house of representatives. Heretofore it has been Guaranteed to cure fever sores, indolent ulcers, piler burns, wounds, frost bites and skin **seases. 25c at Z. C. M. J. Drug Store. the duty of the sergeant at arms to look after the mail of the members, and it is difficult to understand just what the duties of that high functionary will be now.

DEFENDS FAITH OF THE MORMONS

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id that the general protests expressly leged that the offenses of Senator Action Regarding Coal Lands
Subject of Resolution
in Utah House.

Representative Thompson of the house wants the recent order of President Roosevelt, withdrawing all coal lands from entry, withdrawn. He introduced in the house yesterday a memorial to that effect, which was referred to the committee on federal relations and memorials. His resolution is as follows:

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"Whereas, by a recent order of Presidence of Presidence of the protestants in his opening speech to the committee on privileges and elections. No proof was made respecting it, and there was much evidence in the record to the countrary.

Smoot Not a Polys

WILL TACKLE SUBJECT IF NO ONE ELSE DOES.

The consolidation works as well in education works as well in education as it does in business," said Senator Samuel C, Park, of Sail Lake, yesterday in a seduction case, provided in discussing the proposed merger of the university and the agricultural school. Park was not in the record to the contrary.

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Oath Taken by Apostles.

"The charge is made by Leilich," he aid, "that Senator Smoot has taken an "The charge is made by Leilich." he said, "that Senator Smoot has taken an oath or obligation as apostle or as a member of the Mormon church, inconsistent with his obligation as a senator. It is significant that this charge is not made by the general protestants. This charge, like the charge of polygamy, is also repudiated by the other protestants; it is also repudiated by counsel for the protestants, and was not an issue until the case had proceeded for some time. Then, some witnesses were produced who testified that in the endowment house

being that of George Reynolds, fourteen years after the law was enacted. This condition remained until 1882, when the Edmonds law was passed. The Edmonds law, in addition to re-enacting the law of 1862 on the subject of polygamy, defined and punished the crime of polygamous cohabitation. This law was vigorously enforced, beginning in 1884. More than Senator Samuel C. Park is preparing a bill to be introduced in the pear future which will embrace most of the governor's recommendations for legislation for the state militia. The bill provides that and so strong became the pressure from outside and inside the church that in a comparatively short time, six years, the manifesto of the church forbidding the manifesto of the church forbidding the members of the church to practice polygamy was issued. In 1891 the pro-church or people's party was disbanded, and organizations effected along national party lines. In 1896 the state was admitted to the union. Previous to 1891 there were no political organizations except a pro-church and an anti-church party. By the enabling act passed by congress in 1894, it was provided that the constitution of the new state should contain a proof the new state should contain a provision guarante-ing perfect toleration of religious sentiment with the provisio that polygamous marriages should be forever prohibited. This provision is significant

> Polygamy an Article of Faith. "First, the pronibition of polygamous, marriages is in the form of a proviso of religious toleration. A proviso is to be construed with reference to the para-

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"In the second place, and continued, "the languables at is that polygam are furbiden, not pulify an too be stated to the state itself to deal polygamous relations as

Practice Dying Out.

The senator then explained that the manifesto was ad he part of the non-Mor

Few Plural Marriages Now.

In 1890, Senator Sutherland said, ti They had gradually ished by death and removal fi 500 of them. The situation is rap clearing itself. It has been charged, a polygamous wife since the manifesto of 1890 ought to be in jall serving out the extreme penalty of the law.

Senator Smoot, however, by his expressions and conduct had always since a bottom of the law. the case had proceeded as the case had proceeded who testified that in the endowment house ceremonies an oath was taken which imported hostility to the government. Several of these witnesses were shown to be persons of had repute, and their testimony was emphatically denied by a large number of persons who had been former number of persons who had been former number of the church and had gone through the endowment house ceremonies."

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Senator Benner X. Smith's pet measure, so far, is a bill making an assault with intent to commit murder by a life-term convict punishable by death, whether the victim of the assault dies or not. The suggestion for the bill came from Warden Pratt of the state prison.

Former Senator Ed Loose's voice and chuckle are being missed at this session. It is understood, however, that the genial colonel still has two votes from Utah county in the senate. ******************

In line with the governor's suggestion his message that some provision made to secure an adequate water su

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